



Attorney Docket No. 034017R007

JKW

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Todd Hanna, et al.

Serial No.: 10/623,858

Group Art Unit: 3754

Filed: July 22, 2003

Examiner: Unassigned

For : DISPENSING SYSTEM AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING
AND USING SAME WITH A DISPENSER TIP MANAGEMENT

SECOND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

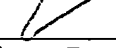
Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, Applicants are enclosing an Information Disclosure Citation Form (PTO-1449) which lists the references cited in the enclosed International Search Report, dated October 27, 2004, issued for corresponding Appln. No. PCT/US2004/014420. A copy of the Search Report is being submitted, along with a copy of PCT Publication No. WO 2004/101244.

It is respectfully requested that the cited documents be considered by the Examiner in the above-identified patent application and that the cited documents be made officially of record therein. It is further requested that a listing of the same appear on the face of any patent which may issue from this application.

Applicants certify under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(e)(1) that all documents submitted herewith were cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application no more than three months prior to the filing of this Statement. Therefore, it is respectfully urged that no fees are required for the Examiner's consideration of the documents listed in this Information Disclosure Statement.

Respectfully submitted,
SMITH, GAMBRELL & RUSSELL, LLP

By: 
Dennis C. Rodgers, Reg. No. 32,936
1850 M Street, NW, Suite 800
Washington, D.C. 20036
Telephone: (202) 263-4300

Date: December 16, 2004

FORM PTO-1449

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

ATTY. DOCKET

34017R007

SERIAL NO.

10/623,858

APPLICANT:

Todd Hanna, et al.

FILING DATE

July 22, 2003

GROUP ART UNIT

3754

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*Examiner's Initials		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB- CLASS	FILING DATE, IF APPROPRIATE
	AA	5,950,875	9/14/99	Lee et al.			
	AB	5,791,522	8/11/98	Lee et al.			
	AC	3,144,210	8/11/64	Levy			
	AD	4,377,256	3/22/83	Commette et al.			
	AE	6,311,740	11/6/01	Sperry et al.			
	AF	5,312,596	5/17/94	Proksa et al.			
	AG	5,163,584	11/17/92	Huber et al.			
	AH	4,860,925	8/29/89	Carrillon			
	AI	5,180,082	1/19/93	Cherfane			
	AJ	5,375,743	12/27/94	Soudan			
	AK	5,299,740	4/5/94	Bert			
	AL	5,104,006	4/14/92	Brown			
	AM	3,876,145	4/8/75	Gusmer et al.			
	AN	4,043,486	8/23/77	Wisbey			
	AO	4,708,292	11/24/87	Gammons			
	AP	6,283,329	9/4/01	Bezaire et al.			
	AQ	5,996,848	12/7/99	Sperry, et al.			
	AR	5,964,378	10/12/99	Sperry, et al.			
	AS	5,362,342	11/8/94	Murray, et al.			
	AT	5,219,097	6/15/93	Huber, et al.			
	AU	4,993,596	2/19/91	Brown			
	AV	RE29,665	6/13/78	Gusmer, et al.			
	AW	6,315,161	11/13/01	Bezaire et al.			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

*Examiner's Initials		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB- CLASS	TRANSLATION YES NO	
	AX	28 38 772	3/20/80	Germany				
	AY	349 744	4/25/79	AT				
	AZ	WO 2004/101244	11/25/04	PCT				

EXAMINER:

DATE CONSIDERED:

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.